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UPGRADE OF ARTILLERY BRIGADE IN KIEV MILITARY DISTRICT
FASTOV, USSR

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1. (S/D) **SIGNIFICANCE:** THE ARTILLERY BRIGADE OF THE 1ST GUARDS ARMY HAS BEEN UPGRADED BY THE ADDITION OF 152MM FIELD GUNS M-1976 AND 152MM GUN HOWITZERS D-20.

2. (S/D) **REMARKS:** 152MM FIELD GUNS M-1976, PREVIOUSLY REFERRED TO AS PERM GUN HOWITZERS TL-9, (GRAPHIC 1) AND 152MM GUN HOWITZERS D-20 (GRAPHIC 2) WERE IDENTIFIED FOR THE FIRST TIME WITH THE ARTILLERY BRIGADE AT FASTOV ARMY BARRACKS SW AL 1 ON [REDACTED] THIS IS THE FIRST IDENTIFICATION OF THE 152MM FIELD GUN M-1976 IN THE KIEV MILITARY DISTRICT (MD).

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(S/D) TWELVE 152MM FIELD GUNS M-1976, AT LEAST 50 D-20, SIX 130MM FIELD GUNS M-46, AND THREE ANTITANK GUNS WERE PRESENT IN THE ARTILLERY BRIGADE AREAS OF THIS INSTALLATION. ONLY M-46 AND 152MM GUN HOWITZERS ML-20 HAD BEEN SEEN HERE PREVIOUSLY. ON [REDACTED] NO ML-20 WERE PRESENT. THE 152MM FIELD GUNS M-1976 WILL PROBABLY REPLACE THE M-46. [REDACTED]

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3. (S) [REDACTED] COORDINATES 50-04-17N 029-54-38E

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4. [REDACTED] COLLATERAL REFERENCE:
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